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Sir:

In response to the above-captioned notice, attached is the executed declaration as well as a copy of the Notice of Missing Requirements.

The surcharge of \$65.00 was paid at the time of the original national phase filing. Therefore, no fee is submitted. This application should now be in order for examination, and same is respectfully requested.

Very respectfully,

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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITE STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Indication of Small Entity Status
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/22/2005
- English Translation of the IA filed on 09/22/2005
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/22/2005
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/22/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/22/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 09/22/2005
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/22/2005
- Specification filed on 09/22/2005
- Claims filed on 09/22/2005
- Abstracts filed on 09/22/2005
- Drawings filed on 09/22/2005

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

• Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTH'S FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice MUST be returned with the response.

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